REMARKS

Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for the careful consideration given the present application. The application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office action, and amended as necessary to more clearly and particularly describe the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

The Examiner objected to claims 1-4 due to informalities. Applicant notes that claim 1 has been amended and, thus, respectfully requests removal of the objection.

The Examiner stated that claims 1-4 would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, set forth in this Office action. Applicant notes that claim 1 has been amended to overcome the rejections, thus, claim 1 is in condition for allowance.

Claims 2-4 depend from claim 1, thus, claims 2-4 are in condition for allowance.

In light of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance and notice to that effect is hereby requested. If it is determined that the application is not in a condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to initiate a telephone interview with the undersigned attorney to expedite prosecution of the present application.

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